

**ERASABLE TRAY LABELS****ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

Apparatuses, methods, and systems are disclosed for mounting an erasable  
10 label on a tray or container without adhesive. In one embodiment, a label assembly  
is disclosed having an erasable writing surface mounted upon a semi-rigid core  
having a slot sized and shaped to fit on a side wall of a container. The writing  
surface may include a pair of opposing erasable tablets mounted on opposing sides of  
the core. The writing surface may be constructed to receive temporary dry-erase ink,  
15 water-soluble ink, or magnetic labels. The markings may be protected from  
accidental erasure by an elongate projection or rim, a removable transparent film, or  
the like. A method of using a label assembly is also disclosed.

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20 claims.